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This is Bela Kleiner; the patent applicant for patent application # 10/814 916;  
replying to examiner's letter:

Claims 1- 3 and 5-9 cancelled.

Claim 4 amended as follow:

A process for preparing nitrogen dioxide, nitric oxide and calcium ascorbate or calcium isoascorbate consisting of reacting 50 % aqueous ascorbic acid solution or 50% aqueous isoascorbic acid solution together with 30% or 70% aqueous calcium nitrite solution in a reaction vessel at temp. 25 °C ; maximum 55°C.

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